

## DEVOTEES OF JUSTICE

Confirmation of the Jury's Report in the Wade Will Case.

## GROWN HOARY WITH AGE

An Old Case in the Courts Again—Honeymoon Shadows—An Action to Quiet Title.

BUTTE, July 14.—The attorneys, contestants and proponents in the Wade will case were in court this morning to hear a confirmation of the jury's verdict declaring the will a forgery. The jury's verdict was embodied in one special finding which declared that the will and signature of the late J. R. Wade. By agreement of the attorneys in the case the defendants were granted 40 days to file a statement on motion for a new trial and a stay of proceedings were granted in the meantime. Counsel for contestants this afternoon filed a notice to the defendants that on Saturday a motion would be made to have the court adopt the findings of the jury and enter judgment in accordance with them.

The contestants feel elated over their victory, while Mr. Dickey, one of the executors of the estate under the forged will, simply said when he heard the verdict, "Well, that settles that part of it."

R. W. King, brother of Mrs. Wade and heir under the forged will, remarked that "That's pretty good, too," when he heard the verdict.

## An Old Case.

In the right-of-way case of James A. Murray, Silas F. King, James A. Talbot and the Silver Bow Mining and Milling company against the Summit alley railroad, the defendants today filed an answer for the petition filed by the plaintiffs. The case has been pending in the court for about eight years. The railroad company at that time wanted a right-of-way over the Belona lode claim and the owners of the ground were willing to sell the right-of-way, but wanted to force on the railroad a route not wanted by the company. The Belona people secured the appointment by the court of William M. Jack, Joseph Ramsdell and John Jolly as a board of appraisers who condemned the route not wanted by the railroad and assessed the damages. The railroad company refused to abide by the report and the Belona people petitioned the court to affirm the findings of the appraisers, which petition has since been pending. The railroad company in the meantime secured the appointment of another board of appraisers on the ground that Joseph Ramsdell, one of the original appraisers, was part owner of the Belona and father-in-law of James A. Talbot, another of the plaintiffs, and also president and a shareholder of the Silver Bow Mining company, another plaintiff, and therefore his report and appraisal could not have been fair and impartial, being interested in the proceedings. The new board of appraisers condemned the route desired by the railroad company and assessed the damages, which were paid into court by the railroad company, which built its road and for eight years has maintained its road. The plaintiffs petitioned the court to set aside the report of the last board of appraisers, but the court refused to do it.

As a separate answer, the railroad company says the plaintiffs long ago sold their interest in the Belona claim to the Parrot company, and that the latter has no interest or desire to maintain the present suit against the railroad. A suit between the same parties and of a similar nature was tried at the present term of court and a verdict returned from which the plaintiff took an appeal.

## Honeymoon Shadows.

Adeline Willis today filed her petition in the district court praying for a divorce from her husband, Elijah Willis, to whom she was married on June 26, 1890, in Butte. On the following 15th of July the husband started in to make married life interesting for his wife, and without provocation accused her of infidelity and attempted to strike her and said he would kill her. From that time on he has been abusing her and repeatedly called her vile and offensive names and threatened her life. He also refused and neglected to provide her with the common necessities of life or to contribute to her support in any manner. By reason of his acts of cruelty she has been caused great mental anguish and fear, and to cap her complaints she says that on Jan. 1, 1891, he deserted her and has since lived apart from her. There are no children and all she asks is that the bonds of matrimony be adjudged and declared void and of no effect. Waldron & Campbell are her attorneys.

## To Quiet Title.

An action to quiet title was commenced in Department I. today by John A. O'Connor against John Sattes, the property in controversy being the High Grade lode claim in Independence Mining district, which claim was located by the plaintiff March 25, 1891. On May 26, 1892, the defendant applied for a patent to a claim known as the Old Mine Mine, part of which extends over the High Grade claim, and the plaintiff filed an adverse in the land office, and all proceedings were stopped and the controversy sent to the district court for settlement. The claims adjoining the Old Mine Mine are the Robert E. Lee, North Pole, Katie T. Silver Gate and the Lala Monte. The plaintiff asks judgment for \$500 damages and the property in controversy.

## Other Court News.

In the suit for a dissolution of partnership and an accounting in the case of W. V. Lawler against S. V. Kemper, the defendant today replied to the complaint filed some time ago, and denies that each partner was to account to the firm for all receipts or commissions. He denies that since the commencement of the partnership he has wrongfully applied any of the profits of the business or that he has refused to account for money received by him, and says that all the money used by him was his own share. Kemper also asks that the partnership be dissolved and that there be a full accounting, and that the property be sold and the proceeds be equally divided.

The default of the defendant was entered in Department I. in the case of William Weinstein against Mrs. M. Shea, and judgment for \$200 and for \$20 as costs awarded the plaintiff.

The case of the American Publishing company against Henry Munter was ordered stricken from the calendar.

## Awarded for Their Work.

BUTTE, July 14.—In the contest among the Butte carrier boys of the STANDARD for the prizes offered by the business office for June, Humphrey Booth won first prize, one of Gans & Klein's handsome suits; Frank Warren, second prize, a handsome solid silver watch; Pat Sullivan, third prize, a \$5 gold piece; Bat Leary, fourth prize, a STANDARD cap. New prizes will be offered for future competitions.

We are headquarters of gasoline stoves. H. J. Blume, 78 W. Park.

## MURDER OF JORDAN.

Interest Taken in the Ferreting Out of the Bastards.

BUTTE, July 14.—There are two duties resting on the people in connection with the Jordan murder case. Not only is there the duty of ferreting out the murderers, but it is also the duty of the citizens to see that the family of the murdered policeman does not suffer want. In the excitement attendant on the Cour d'Alene trouble and other matters, it should be seen that the Jordan murder is not forgotten, and that his family, left in distress, are well remembered.

There will be a benefit concert for the benefit of Officer Jordan's family at Maguire's opera house to-morrow, Friday, evening. The best local talent in the city have volunteered their services and the concert will surely be a good one. Every person in Butte who can afford it should buy tickets and attend the concert if they can, but attend anyway. The opera house should be packed. The house has been donated, together with the services of all attendants, so that there will be no expenses connected with the benefit.

The programme is as follows:  
Overture..... Selection by opera house orchestra  
Recitation..... The Centerville Glee club  
Violin solo..... William Howard  
Recitation, "Decorated Day"..... James Finian  
Song, "A Day Dream"..... Miss Hammond  
Chestnut solo..... Miss Alice Hick  
"Bill Mason's Bride"..... George F. Lyman  
Song, "Forget Me Not"..... Miss Bush  
"The Yagans"..... John McGuire  
Trio from Belshazzar.....

Miss Gorman, Messrs. Fitch and Mayer  
Overture..... Opera house orchestra  
Recitation..... Centerville Glee club  
"Aunt Melissa on Boys"..... Mrs. Harry Wing  
Song, "The Return"..... Miss Hammond  
"The Dream of Eugene Aram"..... John McGuire  
"The Tornado Dance"..... Master George Tall  
Song, selected..... Miss Bush  
"The Yagans of the Nancy Bell"..... George Lyman  
Trio from "Attila"..... Verdi  
Miss Gorman, Messrs. Fitch and Mayer  
Zyphonphone solo..... Miss Martha Hick  
Tambourine drill and gavotte by 20 young ladies

## HE WASN'T GUILTY.

John Borg Charged With Disturbing the Peace.

BUTTE, July 14.—John Borg, an innocent appearing Swede, was tried in Judge Eddy's court this afternoon for disturbing the peace by using loud and abusive language. A jury of six men was empaneled to hear the evidence, and Moritz Meyer, who is always figuring in a lawsuit of some kind, was put on the stand first, he being the complaining witness. His testimony was to the effect that the defendant, who is a tenant of his, had owed him some rent which he, Meyer, had undertaken to collect. Borg had tendered him as payment a bill of coin of a denomination larger than the amount due. Meyer had taken the money and gone with it to his store and was followed later on by Borg, who asked for the change, but was told that the amount would be placed to his credit as a part payment of the rent to become due the following month. To this Borg objected and some loud and harsh language was the result, and Meyer deposited the money in his pocket. Borg had called him a very vile name, the witness repeating the epithet. Attorney Duffy, who appeared for the defendant, looked at Meyer in his peculiar manner for a moment and then asked him: "Well, is not that all right, ain't you one?" After a decidedly bright and highly edifying legal war between Mr. Duffy and his opponent, Michael Clark, the case was submitted to the jury, who returned a verdict of not guilty and taxed the costs to the complaining witness.

## HE GAVE IT BACK TO JACK.

Why a Man Named Briggs Was Arrested.

BUTTE, July 14.—A man who gave his name as Briggs was arrested this afternoon on the charge of having stolen a certificate of deposit of \$120 issued by the State Savings bank. The certificate was owned by Mike Brady, a recent arrival from Tacoma. To-day Brady discovered that he had lost the certificate and went to the bank to stop payment on it when he was informed that the certificate had already been presented for payment by a man named Burroughs, a butcher, but that it had not been paid because of improper endorsement. Brady filed information of his loss with the police and Detective Rhodes was detailed to work on the case. The man Burroughs was found, who after some show of hesitation said that Briggs had given him the certificate for the purpose of having it cashed, Briggs claiming that the certificate was made over to him. He also furnished the officer with a description of Briggs, and after a search of the saloons and gambling houses he was found in Jack Dowd's place and locked up in the county jail. Briggs tells the old story about having received the certificate from a man whom he did not know and that the man has left the city. When asked the name of the man who had given him the certificate Briggs said he did not know, except that he was called "Jack." When arrested Briggs had disposed of the certificate in some manner. He said that he had given it back to "Jack."

## SOMETHING NEW.

Burkhardt Tells of Another Bad Man—An Important Letter.

BUTTE, July 14.—According to the story of Mr. Burkhardt, there were three men who went to see him in Anaconda the day before Jordan was killed and got the gun. One of the men has not been described heretofore. Mr. Burkhardt says that the third man who accompanied Kelly and Boyle was heavy, weighing about 200 pounds, had a big head with a long drooping mustache and a thick neck.

Postmaster Evans relates a little experience that he had with Burkhardt. The latter is at Witherspoon's hospital, No. 602 West Park street. The doctor has a box at the postoffice in which all the mail for the hospital is placed. Burkhardt wrote a letter kicking to the postmaster and Mr. Evans went to see him. Burkhardt claimed that he had lost \$500 by the delay in receiving a letter which had been put in the box instead of delivered at the house.

## A Cry of Distress.

For goodness sake! give a man a job! Bookkeeping, clerking, or anything half decent. A. Z., Standard office, Butte.

Large orders coming in every day for window screens. Send in your orders and be comfortable. H. J. Blume, 78 W. Park.

## THE ATROCIOUS KILLING

Union Miners and Citizens in General Express Their Wrath.

## A SENSATION IN THE CAMP

Opinion of the Awful Slaughter of Non-Union Men in Fourth of July Canyon in Butte.

BUTTE, July 14.—The day has witnessed a complete revolution of public opinion in Butte in regard to the Cour d'Alene troubles. Heretofore the sympathy for the union men has been prevalent in Butte at least, but the news of the horrible massacre in Fourth of July canyon changed all that, and to-day up and down Main street could be heard unqualified condemnation of the miners. Between 10 and 11 o'clock to-day almost every man in the street was reading a STANDARD extra, the first news which was received on the subject. As a rule business men and labor union men alike condemned the atrocity in unsparing language. Some miners refused to credit the reports, stating that no information of that sort had been received by the officers of the union from those at the scene who had agreed to keep them posted as to every move.

Secretary Eddy of the Miners' union said this afternoon that not a word had been received by the union from the seat of war to-day. There were some, but a very few, who hailed with satisfaction the atrocious news and thought it would teach non-union men a lesson once for all, and that it would be a very long day before non-union men would again attempt to interfere with union wages. One man standing in front of the *Inter Mountain* bulletin, and reading the number killed in the massacre, muttered: "Only 12!" That was one class of extremists on the streets to-day, and the other class were those who expressed the hope that the United States troops would shoot down a few score of union men as an example. In general however, the sentiment, while strongly in denunciation of the murderous outrage in slaughtering prisoners of war, was nevertheless that such a course could not have been approved by the union leaders. The belief was expressed that a few hot-headed individuals had been the means of inciting the hold which the union miners had on public opinion in their case. Regret was generally expressed that the leaders seemed to have lost control of the mob and acted violently and as soon as possible, committed what could not be countenanced by the leaders or any good citizens.

"The acts for the past two days in the Cour d'Alene country," said one business man to-day, "have practically ruined Idaho, and injured the entire Northwest in the eyes of Eastern capitalists. The only thing now for the bloodshed and outrage to be stopped as soon as possible. The men who were guilty of the massacre in Fourth of July canyon should be hung every one of them, and I believe every good union man wants to see them hung. I hope they will be hung before noon. Further than that I hope that nothing will be done."

The dispatch printed in the *Inter Mountain* this evening that 3,000 miners from Montana were to march to the Cour d'Alene country is pronounced by union men here to be a canard. It is stated that there has been no intention or thought of anything of the sort.

## Real Estate Transfers.

BUTTE, July 14.—The following real estate transfers were filed for record yesterday:

J. B. Steiger to M. Hanson, one-half interest in the Vindicator claim, also 500 00
J. G. Moore to F. E. Sargeant, the Humboldt lode claim..... 1 00
J. G. Moore to F. E. Sargeant, the Hattie lode claim..... 1 00
James Conley to F. E. Sargeant, the Nell lode claim..... 1 00
E. C. Mullin to..... 1 00
Jack of spades lode claim..... 1 00
W. S. McCary and wife to..... 5,000 00
School trustees of district No. 1, lots 15, 16, 17 and 18, block 69, original waste..... 280 00
J. E. Clark, guardian to M. C. Lind, one-half interest in certain lots of Faucett's addition..... 280 00

For Sale—Furniture and fixtures of boarding house near Bi-Metallic mill, Phillipsburg; house contains 14 rooms; lease runs 14 months; rent, \$40; 26 regular boarders. Apply to J. C. Wilson, Kirkville, Phillipsburg.

Wanted to buy 20,000 shares of Southern Cross stock, or will buy any part of that amount. Call on or address W. H. Nichols & Bro., mining brokers, Butte, Montana.

## Horses and Mules For Sale.

I have a lot of work horses and mules, also some small horses and mules suitable for packing which I will sell very cheap. Inquire of J. T. Carroll, Butte or Anaconda, Mont.

## Notice.

Any society or party wishing to hold picnics can have the Columbia gardens free of charge until further notice by applying to T. R. Hines, 330 South Main street, Butte, Mont.

Blume's patent sliding fly screens are not a luxury, but a real necessity. Get in your order early. 78 W. Park.

Watches at cost, 30 days. Leys, the Jeweler, Owsley block.

## A. O. E. W.

Emblem pins at Leys, the Jeweler, Owsley block.

You cannot afford to be without Blume's patent sliding fly screens. 78 W. Park.

Miners' union pins. Leys, the Jeweler Owsley block, only.

La Chapelle, under Clark's bank, for first-class shave, 15 cents; hair cutting, 25 cents.

For the finest liquors in Butte go to Harrington & Driscoll, corner Main and Quartz streets.

# On the Home Stretch.

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## CLEARANCE SALE

—OF THE—

### Estes & Connell Mercantile Co.'s Stock

Will soon be over.

## SECURE YOUR BARGAINS NOW.

No Department is without its full quota. This store is teeming with the Best the Markets Afford, and Low Figures place the Best within the reach of all.

## CONTEMPLATED IMPROVEMENTS

## Necessitate a Reduction of Stock.

We must make room. An order for a New Iron Front has been placed with an Eastern House, and a contract is about to be let for a Second Story to this Building.

## WE LEAD THE ONWARD MARCH.

This Week we offer:

## MEN'S AND CHILDREN'S CLOTHING

At prices unusually interesting to all intending purchasers. If you are not provided with Summer Clothing, you should see these Suits, as they are fine.

## MEN'S FURNISHING GOODS

Are going off fast, because they are just right, and the prices are much lower than you expect to find them. Shirts, Underwear, Neckwear, Suspenders, Etc.

## MEN'S TROUSERS.

We have about 500 pairs of choice, seasonable garments, which we mark down to about two-thirds of the regular price.

## LADIES' WRAPS AND UNDERWEAR.

One dollar does the work of two. There are excellent bargains in this department, but they are bought up as soon as seen. We want you to take a look at them now. Time is getting short.

## SHOES! SHOES! SHOES!

For Men, Women and Children.

We Fit the Feet of All.

An Immense Variety is here. Light and heavy, adaptable to all uses. Stylish and useful. All grades, from the low priced to the more expensive, and the price is one-third less than usual.

## CHOICE DRESS GOODS.

It is our intention to entirely close out this stock of Dress Materials. We want room; we must have it. Price cuts no figure with us now, as we intend to sell them regardless of cost or intrinsic value. Will you take advantage of this?

## CARPETS AND CURTAINS

Are still being sold by us at less than factory figures. Are you thinking of furnishing one room or more? Then take a look here, for we can save you money.

REMEMBER—The Clearance Sale positively closes some time This Month.

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**Cream Baking Powder**

Used in Millions of Homes—40 Years the Standard.